

Calendar of Recovery Act Grant Monies

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DOE Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) Recovery Act - Solar Market Transformation Topic 2: Solar Installer Instructor Training	\$27,000,000 is expected to be available. (An additional \$10,000,000 is expected to be available for awards under Topic Area 1)	DOE	7/30/2009	Topic 2 of the FOA addresses current market barriers to the adoption of solar energy technologies by establishing a nationally coordinated effort to expand solar photovoltaic (PV) and solar heating and cooling (SHC) installer training to the local level.
ARRA Green Capacity Building Grants (SGA/DFA PY 08-21) for projects that build the capacity of DOL-funded training programs to ensure that targeted groups are prepared to meet the needs of our country's expanding green industries.	50 and 100 grants under this competition, providing awards ranging from \$50,000 to \$100,000	DOL 6/24/2009	8/5/2009	Only active DOL-funded grantees (eligible grantees specified in the SGA) are eligible to apply.
ARRA State LMI Improvement Grants (SGA/DFA PY 08-17) to collect, analyze, and disseminate labor market information, and to enhance the labor exchange infrastructure for careers within the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries.	\$50 million in grant funds for the Workforce Agencies. ETA intends to fund individual State grants ranging from approximately \$750,000 to \$1,250,000. Individual grant awards to consortium applicants will range from \$2 to \$4 million	DOL 6/24/2009	8/14/2009	State Workforce Agencies
Recovery Act: Training Program Development for Commercial Building Equipment Technicians, Building Operators, and Energy Commissioning Agents/Auditors Training programs are needed for three types of commercial building specialists: equipment technicians, operators, and energy commissioning agents/auditors. The objective is to enable the development of a workforce that can bring existing commercial buildings up to their energy performance potential and to help ensure that new commercial buildings do not fall below their expected optimal level of performance.	\$7.5M	DOE	9/1/2009	All types of entities are eligible to apply, except other Federal agencies, Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.

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ARRA Energy Training Partnership Grants (SGA/DFA PY 08-18) Projects will provide training and placement services in the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries for workers impacted by national energy and environmental policy, individuals in need of updated training related to the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries, and unemployed workers. <u>Proposed projects must be developed and implemented through strategic partnerships.</u>	\$100 million in grant funds to 20-30 projects ranging from approximately \$2 to \$5 million each	6/24/2009	9/4/2009	Under this announcement, eligible applicants are private nonprofit organizations that must apply under one of two categories: 1) National labor-management organizations with local networks; or 2) Statewide or local nonprofit partnerships.
ARRA Pathways Out of Poverty (SGA/DFA PY 08-19) grant funds for projects that provide training and placement services to provide pathways out of poverty and into employment within the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries.	\$150 million. ETA intends to fund grants ranging from approximately \$3 to \$8 million for national grantees, and grants ranging from approximately \$2 to \$4 million for local grantees.	DOL 6/24/2009	9/29/2009	Grantees selected from two separate types of applicants will be funded through this solicitation: (1) national nonprofit entities with networks of local affiliates, coalition members, or other established partners; and (2) local entities.
Clean Cities Acquisition of alternative fuel or fuel-cell vehicles, installation of refueling sites, and training	\$30M	CEC	9/30/2009	States, local governments, transit agencies, or any combination- and a designated Clean Cities coalition.
ARRA State Energy Sector Partnership (SESP) and Training Grants (SGA/DFA PY-08-20) In order to highlight the important role States play in building a national green economy, the Department is investing in workforce sector strategies that target energy efficiency and renewable energy industries. DOL encourages a strategic planning process that aligns the Governor's overall workforce vision, State energy policies, and local and regional training activities that lead to employment in targeted industry sectors. This strategic planning process is an opportunity to develop a statewide energy sector strategy through a comprehensive partnership and development of a Sector Plan.	\$190 million in grant funds to State Workforce Investment Boards	DOL 6/24/2009	10/20/2009	State Workforce Investment Boards in partnership with their State Workforce Agency, local Workforce Investment Boards or regional consortia of Boards, and One Stop Career Center delivery systems

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EDA American Recovery Act Program - fund projects that will advance economic growth in communities and regions experiencing chronic high unemployment and low per capita income. The EDA's goal is to create an environment that fosters innovation, promotes entrepreneurship, and attracts increased private capital investment.	\$150 million	Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce.	6/30/2010	(i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, a city or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.
Competitive grants for workers: Competitive Grants that will be made available for training and placement in high growth and new, emerging industry sectors. \$500M has been designated for "research, labor exchange, and job training projects" that prepare workers for worker training in energy efficiency and renewable energy industries as described in the Green Jobs Act of 2007. An additional \$250M has been provided for projects that prepare workers for careers in the health care industries. Note: Specific criteria has yet to be released for each category of funding.	\$750M Competitive grants for training and job placement in high growth and new, emerging industry sectors. \$500M is set aside for energy efficiency and renewable energy job training projects.	DOL/EDD	Criteria expected to be released in late May.	CA Volunteers, EDD, all departments that employ in the high growth or emerging industry sectors